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OF THE

Massachusetts Rifle Association

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

JANUARY 11, 1887.



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## TREASURER'S REPORT.

BOSTON, Jan. 11, 1887.

*To the Massachusetts Rifle Association:—*

GENTLEMEN,— I herewith submit my report as Treasurer for the year ending this day.

GEO. R. RUSSELL, *Treasurer.*

IN ACCOUNT WITH MASSACHUSETTS RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

### *Dr.*

To Admission fees.....	\$135 00
Annual dues.....	252 00
Match receipts.....	4,024 83
Amount received for use of targets, traps, and lockers .....	1,087 19
Interest.....	29 01
Sundries.....	132 39
Balance from 1886 .....	1,410 60
	<hr/> \$7,071 02

### *Cr.*

By Range expenses, including salary of Range-keeper, markers, and scorers, and cost of supplies.....	\$3,238 54
Prizes.....	1,502 12
Printing and postage .....	280 02
Sundries.....	68 11
Cash on hand.....	1,862 23
	<hr/> \$7,071 02

GEO. R. RUSSELL,  
*Treasurer.*

Examined and approved.

NATHAN F. TUFTS.

JAN. 11, 1887.



## TRAP-SHOOTING COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

GENTLEMEN,—In making this report your committee desire to say that the memoranda from which it is made have been kept by Mr. J. N. Frye, who kindly furnishes them to your committee.

There have been twenty-two shot-gun competitions on the range during the year 1886, which were generally well attended, the receipts of which, after deducting expenses for trappers and scorers, amount to . . . . . \$817 33

The total expenditures for the year for clay birds, ammunition, repairing traps, and printing amount to . . . \$636 39

To which is added the value of clay birds and ammunition on hand . . . . . 31 80

———— 668 19

Balance as profit for year . . . . . \$149 14

Only the "diamond match" (so called) was contested during the year. The prizes offered were five diamond collar-buttons. They were numbered A, B, C, D, and F, and inscribed with the initials, M.R.A., 1886. The winners of the prizes were T. G. Strater, H. Strater, J. S. Sawyer, J. N. Frye, and C. B. Sanborn, respectively, in the order named.

Your committee believe everything necessary to successfully carry on the trap-shooting branch of the Association is in good condition for continued use in the future, and express the hope that the interest in the sport of trap-shooting will receive a new impetus in consequence of the international tournament, which is to be held the coming summer on the grounds of the Wellington Gun Club.

J. S. SAWYER,  
*For Committee.*

## STATISTICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.

*To the Massachusetts Rifle Association :—*

GENTLEMEN,—The following report of entries, receipts, matches and list of prize-winners is respectfully submitted :—

	1885.	1886.
Number of Rifle Matches shot on the range .....	13	21
Number of Association days for Rifle-shooting .....	92	83
Number of Association days for Shot-gun shooting .....	25	24
Number of Entries in various Rifle-matches .....	7,798	11,371
Number of Clay pigeons sold (including bats, etc.) .....		36,240
Total amount received .....	\$3,569.00	\$4,012.08

Receipts in the various matches as follow :—

Spring Meeting .....	\$557.90	\$564.40
Fall Meeting .....	577.55	647.10
Practice Match .....	270.00	414.90
Victory Medal Match .....	206.50	232.55
Clay-Pigeon Matches .....	924.00	923.94
Other Matches .....	1,032.15	1,229.49
	\$3,569.00	\$4,012.08

C. E. BERRY,  
*Statistical Officer.*

Since the beginning of 1886 the following matches have closed :—

### Victory Medal Match for 1886.

*Prize-Winners.*

GOLD MEDAL.

F. J. Rabbeth, Geo. R. Russell.

SILVER MEDAL.

N. C. Nash.

BRONZE MEDAL.

C. E. Berry, N. F. Tufts, E. B. Souther, J. B. Fellows, A. L. Brackett, Henry White.

SILVER MEMBERSHIP BADGE.

R. D. Archer, C. E. Berry, N. F. Tufts.

BRONZE MEMBERSHIP BADGE.

R. D. Archer, A. L. Brackett, C. E. Berry, Henry White.



## DIRECTORS' MEDAL MATCH.

A Gold Medal to be shot for each year, by the Directors of the Massachusetts Rifle Association. Creedmoor target. 1 score of 5 rounds.

Winners.		Winners.	
H. T. Rockwell, in	1877	E. F. Richardson, in	1882
E. B. Souther, "	1878	H. S. Harris, "	1883
D. Kirkwood, "	1879	J. B. Fellows, "	1884
N. W. Arnold, "	1880	Geo. R. Russell, "	1885
L. L. Hubbard, "	1881	C. W. Hinman, "	1886

## SPRING MEETING, JUNE 17, 18, and 19, 1886.

MATCH No. 1.—Decimal Handicap Match. Distance 200 yards. Standard American target. Prizes consisting of the Boston Herald cup, presented by R. M. Pulsifer & Co., and forty others prizes of cash and merchandise.

The Silver Victory Medal was offered for the highest total of four scores, without handicap, and Mr. O. M. Jewell was awarded the prize. Rounds, 7. 4 scores to count. Entry fee, 50 cents.

Prize-Winners.		Scores.	
Geo. R. Russell	63 63 61	61 = 248 + 6 = 254	
O. M. Jewell	61 62 63	63 = 249 + 4 = 253	
F. J. Rabbeth	62 60 61	61 = 244 + 4 = 248	
E. M. Rockwell	64 61 60	59 = 241 + 4 = 245	
E. F. Richardson	61 62 62	62 = 242 + 0 = 242	
G. R. Warfield	56 59 60	62 = 247 + 10 = 247	
A. C. White	59 60 61	62 = 242 + 4 = 246	
C. W. Hinman	59 59 60	63 = 241 + 4 = 245	
C. D. Palmer	57 58 59	62 = 236 + 4 = 240	
G. C. Goodale	60 58 50	55 = 229 + 8 = 237	
E. J. Cram	57 57 58	58 = 230 + 6 = 236	
G. F. Ellsworth	57 58 58	59 = 232 + 4 = 236	
F. A. Whitney	59 58 57	57 = 211 + 4 = 215	
E. B. Souther	56 55 55	53 = 219 + 15 = 234	
J. B. Fellows	56 54 54	53 = 220 + 6 = 226	
G. W. Foster	57 59 54	54 = 222 + 8 = 230	
G. F. Grant	53 55 50	50 = 220 + 10 = 230	
J. N. Frye	56 55 54	54 = 219 + 10 = 229	
I. N. Dodge	55 55 50	56 = 222 + 6 = 228	
G. H. Pierce	51 53 54	58 = 216 + 12 = 228	
A. Law	52 52 50	54 = 208 + 20 = 228	
C. A. Joslin	53 54 55	55 = 217 + 10 = 227	
J. P. Frost (Mil.)	47 48 51	51 = 197 + 10 = 207	
C. A. Hinds	57 55 55	53 = 220 + 6 = 226	
A. L. Brackett	55 53 53	51 = 212 + 12 = 224	
H. Withington	49 50 50	50 = 199 + 25 = 224	
J. L. Thomas	49 51 54	58 = 212 + 12 = 224	
Henry White (Mil.)	49 49 51	52 = 201 + 10 = 211	
Wm. Fisher	51 51 55	55 = 212 + 10 = 222	
A. D. Elliott	56 55 51	48 = 210 + 12 = 222	
Lincoln Grant (Mil.)	46 50 50	50 = 196 + 24 = 220	
N. F. Tufts	49 50 51	53 = 203 + 15 = 218	
R. D. Archer	52 50 51	50 = 203 + 15 = 218	
H. S. Harris	55 51 50	49 = 205 + 12 = 217	
A. C. Gould (Mil.)	50 50 47	48 = 195 + 18 = 205	
G. M. Carr	47 48 52	54 = 201 + 12 = 213	
C. N. Edgell	44 46 47	54 = 191 + 20 = 211	
F. W. Yates (Mil.)	47 47 48	49 = 191 + 0 = 197	
E. J. Crabtree	43 44 46	48 = 181 + 25 = 206	
C. E. Berry	53 51 48	46 = 198 + 8 = 206	
F. E. Benjamin (Mil.)	47 47 42	41 = 177 + 10 = 187	

REST MATCH No. 2.—Any position or rest at 200 yards distance on standard American target. Rounds 7 and 4 scores to count. 12 Prizes of merchandise, medals, cash, etc. Entry fee, 50 cents.

Prize-Winners.		Scores.	
Salem Wilder	68 69 69 69 = 275		
D. L. Chase	68 68 69 69 = 274		
J. N. Frye	67 68 68 69 = 272		
E. F. Richardson	67 68 68 68 = 271		
N. Washburne	65 68 68 69 = 270		
F. J. Rabbeth	(open sights) .65 65 68 68 = 266		

Prize-Winners.		Scores.	
G. L. Winship	65 65 66 66 = 262		
J. H. Brown	62 64 65 67 = 259		
E. B. Souther	59 62 64 65 = 250		
A. L. Brackett	62 62 61 65 = 248		
N. F. Tufts	58 57 61 63 = 239		

## FALL MEETING, OCT. 7, 8, and 9, 1886.

MATCH No. 1.—Conditions: Decimal off-hand, 200 yards distance. 7 rounds. Five scores to count. Entry fee, 50 cents. 42 prizes of cash and merchandise.

Prize-Winners.		Scores.	
E. F. Richardson	61 62 64 65 = 315		
F. J. Rabbeth	60 60 63 63 = 312		
Geo. R. Russell	60 61 61 64 = 311		
A. C. White	62 62 62 62 = 310		
G. F. Ellsworth	60 61 62 63 = 308		
O. M. Jewell	59 60 61 63 = 306		
E. J. Cram	58 61 61 62 = 306		
A. B. Small	58 58 61 65 = 301		
W. H. Beardsley	58 58 62 62 = 288		
E. M. Rockwell	58 58 60 61 = 295		
J. B. Fellows	57 57 58 64 = 295		
G. R. Warfield	58 58 61 62 = 291		
W. D. Palmer	56 59 60 60 = 291		
C. W. Hinman	56 57 59 59 = 288		
G. W. Foster	55 55 57 58 = 285		
F. A. Whitney	53 56 56 60 = 284		
G. F. Grant	55 55 57 57 = 282		
G. H. Pierce	54 55 55 57 = 279		
E. T. Stephens	52 52 56 57 = 277		
B. M. Pitts	53 54 55 55 = 276		
Henry White	53 54 54 54 = 273		
G. C. Goodale	52 53 54 56 = 272		
R. B. Edes (Mil.)	47 47 50 53 = 252		
+ 20 = 272.			

Prize-Winners.		Scores.	
J. L. Thomas	52 53 54 56 = 271		
C. E. Berry	50 53 54 55 = 271		
G. W. Bullard	52 53 54 54 = 270		
C. M. Edgell	51 54 55 60 = 270		
F. H. Ridout	50 50 52 50 = 260		
A. L. Brackett	51 53 53 54 = 268		
W. H. Ober	52 53 53 53 = 266		
W. H. Kirke	51 52 53 54 = 259		
W. Fisher	50 52 52 53 = 261		
C. L. Holmes	48 50 52 52 = 266		
C. A. Joslin	46 47 51 52 = 266		
A. Law	48 49 51 52 = 254		
F. Clarke	49 49 49 49 = 253		
J. P. Bates	45 46 49 57 = 253		
Samuel Merrill	47 47 47 50 = 247		
S. L. Walker	47 48 49 50 = 246		
H. Withington	45 48 48 49 = 238		
W. M. Merrill	(Mil.) . . . . . 38 40 40 44 = 211		
+ 20 = 331.			
G. E. Worthen	(Mil.) . . . . . 38 40 44 43 = 203		
+ 20 = 223.			

MATCH No. 2.—Conditions: 500 yards Carton Match. Any position. Rounds, 7. 5 scores to count. Springfield Rifle, as issued by the State. Entry fee, 50 cents. Ten cash prizes.

Prize-Winners.		Scores.	
W. M. Merrill	35 35 36 38 = 182		
C. W. Hinman	35 35 36 36 = 181		
W. C. Johnston, Jr.	34 34 35 35 = 178		
C. C. Foster	33 33 34 34 = 170		
R. B. Edes	31 33 34 35 = 169		

Prize-Winners.		Scores.	
A. L. Brackett	31 31 32 33 = 162		
A. E. Easter	21 27 27 29 = 128		
F. L. Cressy	21 23 23 24 = 121		

MATCH No. 3.—Rest Match. Conditions: Any position or rest. 200 yards distance. Any rifle not exceeding 15 pounds in weight, without telescope sights. Rounds, 7. 5 scores to count. Entries unlimited at 50 cents each. 10 prizes, consisting of medals and cash.

Prize-Winners.		Scores.	
D. L. Chase	70 70 69 69 = 347		
J. N. Frye	70 69 69 69 = 346		
F. J. Rabbeth	70 69 69 69 = 346		
Salem Wilder	69 69 69 69 = 345		
A. D. Small	70 69 68 68 = 343		

Prize-Winners.		Scores.	
N. Washburne	70 68 68 68 = 342		
H. J. Foster	68 68 67 66 = 334		
G. C. Goodale	66 66 65 65 = 331		
C. H. Brown	67 66 66 65 = 328		
G. W. Whitcomb	67 65 66 65 = 328		



**MATCH No. 4.**—Revolver match on Standard American target. Conditions: 25 yards distance. Rounds, 5. 5 scores to win. Position standing, extended arm. Entries unlimited at 25 cents. Prizes 7 in number. Revolvers and cash.

Prize-Winners.	Scores.	Prize-Winners.	Scores.
Capt. Ira Paine.....	50 49 49 48 48=244	C. C. Foster.....	44 45 46 47 47=229
F. J. Rabbeth.....	46 46 47 48 48=234	Mr. Harris.....	45 45 46 46 46=228
J. N. Frye.....	46 46 46 47 48=233	J. B. Osborne.....	42 44 44 45 47=222
C. W. Hinman.....	45 45 46 48 48=232	Mr. Smith.....	40 41 41 43 45=210

**500 YARD MILITARY MATCH.**—Opened Apr. 24, '86, to continue during the season. Match open to members of the M.V.M., and to members of the M.R.A. Rifle used to be the Springfield pattern as issued by the State of Mass. Ten scores of 47, or better, for first prize, and ten scores of 45 or better for second prize. Prizes: A gold and silver medal for 1st, and a silver medal for 2d.

**Prize-Winners.**

**GOLD MEDAL.**

Lincoln Grant.

**SILVER MEDAL.**

C. C. Foster, Lincoln Grant, Henry White, W. C. Johnston, Jr., A. L. Brackett, W. M. Merrill, C. A. Parker.

**STATE MILITIA MATCH, 1885-86.**

Opened April 1, 1885, to members of the M.V.M. Three scores of 23, 1st prize; three of 21, 2d prize; three of 18, 3d prize.

**Prize-Winners.**

**Gold Badge.**  
1885.

Lincoln Grant,  
F. W. Perkins.

**Silver Badge.**  
1886.

C. C. Foster,  
Henry White,  
J. B. Osborne.

**Silver Badge.**  
1885.

W. M. Merrill,  
J. F. Parker,  
Lincoln Grant,  
L. H. Bateman,

C. A. Parker,  
M. W. Daulton,  
Chas. Frost.

F. C. Sheppard,  
C. C. Foster,  
A. L. Brackett,

J. E. Darmody,  
E. C. B. Erickson,  
Wm. L. Chase,

A. C. White,  
R. B. Edes,  
E. H. Green,

C. F. Cook,  
F. W. Reynolds,  
F. E. Benjamin,

C. D. Lyford,  
L. Haughton,  
J. I. Farwell,

**Bronze Badge.**  
1885.

F. E. Benjamin,  
E. C. B. Erickson,  
W. M. Merrill,

J. P. Frost,  
H. G. Kemp,  
J. F. Parker,

Lincoln Grant,  
L. F. Gray,  
H. L. Kelly,

L. B. Clarke,  
L. H. Bateman,  
V. C. Pond,

F. W. Albee,  
C. A. Parker,  
L. T. Field,

E. A. Easterbrooke,  
W. B. Clarke,  
F. C. Sheppard.

1886.

C. C. Foster,  
A. L. Brackett,  
W. S. Simmons,

J. E. Darmody,  
M. G. Witham,  
Wm. L. Chase,

A. C. White,  
R. B. Edes,  
F. H. Briggs,

A. H. Wright,  
W. T. Goodwin,

**C. W. Flanders,**  
**C. R. Hurd,**  
**C. F. Cook,**

**J. R. Cleveland,**  
**J. M. Johnson,**  
**B. H. Brudlee,**

**F. W. Reynolds,**  
**N. A. Francis,**  
**W. L. Skinner,**

**Ralph Smith,**  
**E. W. Bettinson,**  
**G. F. Baker,**

**C. D. Lyford,**  
**F. A. Adams,**  
**H. T. Rockwell,**

**E. W. Hodgkins,**  
**J. H. Taylor,**  
**R. B. Dawson,**

**C. E. French,**  
**W. D. Creighton,**  
**C. L. Parkhill,**

**W. C. Codman,**  
**Capt. Dallinger,**  
**L. Haughton,**

**F. J. Cook,**  
**Lieut. Benyon,**  
**A. A. Hills,**

**Lieut. Sanders,**  
**E. S. Sweeney,**  
**C. L. Smith,**

**M. Williams,**  
**A. L. Souther.**

**REST MATCH.**—Opened Nov. 28, 1885, closed Jan. 30, 1886. Mass. Decimal target, 200 yards distance. Six prizes in cash.

Prize-Winners.	Scores.	Total.
F. J. Rabbeth (Mil.).....	95 92 90 95 94=466	+ 40=506
D. L. Chase.....	100 99 98 99 99=	495
R. Graham.....	98 99 97 98 99=	495
S. Wilder.....	98 98 98 98 98=	490
C. W. Hinman.....	94 97 90 93 95=	478
N. Washburn.....	94 89 88 93 91=	455

**DECIMAL OFF-HAND MATCH.**—(Handicap.) Opened Nov. 28, 1885, closed Jan. 30, 1886. Mass. Decimal target, 200 yards distance. Fifteen cash prizes.

Prize-Winners.	Scores.	Total.
F. J. Rabbeth (Mil.).....	84 81 81 83=329	+ 4=333 + 20=353
C. W. Hinman.....	83 84 87 90=344	+ 0=344
J. N. Frye.....	80 79 80 82=321	+ 20=341
C. E. Berry.....	82 77 79 85=323	+ 10=333
N. F. Tufts.....	76 73 73 80=301	+ 24=325
A. B. Archer.....	72 74 58 74=278	+ 40=318
E. B. Souther.....	69 69 73 72=283	+ 32=315
H. Withington.....	64 65 68 69=266	+ 48=314
G. W. Bullard.....	77 70 65 66=281	+ 20=301
W. C. Johnston, Jr. (Mil.).....	53 47 47 61=208	+ 20=228

**WINTER SERIES, 1885-86.**

**DECIMAL OFF-HAND HANDICAP MATCH.**—Match opened Feb. 6, 1886, and closed Apr. 3, '86. Standard American target, 200 yards distance. Prizes 15 in number, of cash.

Prize-Winners.	Scores.	Total.
E. F. Richardson.....	83 90 90 85=348	+ 0=348
J. N. Frye.....	74 82 90 80=326	+ 20=346
J. B. Fellows.....	80 84 88 82=337	+ 8=345
C. W. Hinman.....	83 87 84 85=339	+ 0=339
A. L. Brackett.....	74 74 78 81=307	+ 28=335
E. B. Souther.....	70 70 76 75=303	+ 32=335
Wm. Fisher.....	82 76 73 72=303	+ 32=335
Gen. R. Russell.....	82 81 79 84=326	+ 8=334
G. W. Bullard.....	75 79 74 70=304	+ 20=324
A. C. White.....	80 85 76 76=317	+ 4=321
C. E. Berry.....	80 83 68 74=305	+ 12=317
H. Withington.....	67 67 65 69=268	+ 48=316
A. Law.....	70 68 68 72=278	+ 32=310
N. F. Tufts.....	71 73 72 71=286	+ 20=306
A. B. Archer.....	69 71 65 61=272	+ 36=308

**REST MATCH, STANDARD AMERICAN TARGET.**—200 yards distance. Opened February 6, 1886, and closed April 6, 1886. Six cash prizes.

Prize-Winners.	Scores.	Total.
J. N. Frye.....	98 99 98 99=493	
D. L. Chase.....	99 98 98 98=493	
G. W. Whitcomb.....	97 99 98 96=487	
Salem Wilder.....	95 96 97 95=479	
William Fisher.....	84 84 89 85=442	



LEWIS MEDALLION MATCH, SPECIAL MILITARY COMPETITION.—Opened December 25, 1885, and closed July 4, 1886. Standard American target. Distance 200 yards. Any military rifle, with open muzzle-sights. Seven prizes. 1st prize, a terra cotta emblematic medallion, presented by Mr. H. A. Lewis, and 6 prizes of cash.

Prize-Winners.	Scores.		Total.
Henry White .....	76	77	78 = 231 + 27 = 258
C. C. Foster .....	70	77	73 = 220 + 36 = 256
F. J. Rabbeth .....	84	85	84 = 253 + 0 = 253
C. W. Hinman .....	88	81	84 = 253 + 0 = 253
A. L. Brackett .....	69	69	70 = 208 + 21 = 229
W. C. Johnston .....	68	65	61 = 191 + 33 = 227
J. B. Fellows .....	72	80	73 = 225 + 0 = 225

DECIMAL OFF-HAND HANDICAP MATCH, STANDARD AMERICAN TARGET.—200 yards distance. Fifteen cash prizes. Match opened April 10, 1886; closed July 4, 1886.

Prize-Winners.	Scores.		Total.
F. J. Rabbeth (open sights)....	79	80	81 81 84 = 405 + 5 = 410 + 25 = 435
Geo. R. Russell .....	81	81	83 85 80 = 418 + 10 = 428
O. M. Jewell .....	81	83	85 85 85 = 418 + 5 = 423
C. W. Hinman .....	81	85	85 84 87 = 422 + 0 = 422
E. B. Souther .....	73	75	79 76 82 = 382 + 40 = 422
A. L. Brackett .....	81	77	78 77 77 = 390 + 30 = 420
William Fisher .....	64	74	75 75 77 = 365 + 40 = 405
H. Withington .....	68	68	65 68 68 = 337 + 60 = 397
J. P. Bates .....	66	71	64 69 66 = 336 + 60 = 396
A. Law .....	64	70	70 72 72 = 348 + 40 = 388
G. W. Bullard .....	67	68	68 71 80 = 354 + 25 = 379
A. B. Archer .....	63	64	65 66 75 = 333 + 45 = 378
J. N. Frye .....	58	63	70 72 73 = 336 + 20 = 356
J. F. Butler .....	49	49	57 51 52 = 258 + 0 = 258

REST MATCH.—Opened April 10, 1886, and closed July 4, 1886.

Prize-Winners.	Scores.		Total.
F. J. Rabbeth (Military) .....	94	94	95 98 99 = 480 + 20 = 500
J. N. Frye .....	99	99	99 100 = 498
D. L. Chase .....	98	99	99 100 = 497
N. Washburn .....	98	98	98 99 = 497
S. Wilder .....	93	94	95 96 97 = 475
E. F. Richardson .....	97	98	94 93 90 = 472

### SUMMER SERIES.

DECIMAL OFF-HAND HANDICAP ON THE STANDARD AMERICAN TARGET.—Match opened July 8, 1886, and closed Nov. 25, 1886. Prize, 15 in cash per cent.

Prize-Winners.	Scores.		Total.
Henry White .....	81	80	79 77 77 = 394 + 35 = 429
F. J. Rabbeth (Mil.) .....	84	81	80 79 79 = 403 + 25 = 428
Henry Withington .....	75	73	72 70 69 = 359 + 55 = 414
J. A. Huggins .....	83	83	82 81 79 = 408 + 0 = 408
J. N. Frye .....	79	78	77 76 75 = 385 + 20 = 405
G. W. Bullard .....	78	73	72 71 = 366 + 25 = 391
L. Braham .....	81	77	75 74 71 = 378 + 0 = 378
J. P. Bates .....	69	64	63 61 57 = 314 + 60 = 374

REST MATCH.—Opened July 8, and closed Nov. 25, 1886. Under the usual conditions, and for 6 prizes of cash.

Prizes-Winners.	Scores.		Total.
F. J. Rabbeth .....	100	100	100 100 = 500
N. Washburn .....	100	100	99 99 = 498
D. L. Chase .....	100	100	99 99 = 497
J. N. Frye .....	100	100	99 99 = 497
J. R. Munroe .....	100	100	99 99 = 497
S. Wilder .....	97	97	97 97 = 485

PISTOL MATCH.—Opened in Oct., and closed Nov. 25, 1886. Standard American Target. 50 yards distance. Rounds 5, and ten scores to count. Prizes in cash.

Prize-Winners.	Scores.		Total.
C. C. Foster .....	47	45	45 44 42 41 41 41 = 433
F. J. Rabbeth .....	46	44	43 43 43 42 41 41 41 = 425
J. N. Frye .....	43	43	42 41 41 41 41 40 = 414
A. L. Brackett .....	35	37	36 35 35 34 33 30 27 = 331
A. C. Gould .....	35	32	30 29 29 28 27 26 20 = 288

TEAM MATCHES.—May 8, 1886, a team from the Arlington Heights Rifle Club visited Walnut Hill to shoot a team match with the Massachusetts Rifle Association. Conditions: 5 men to a team. 10 rounds. S. A. target.

Geo. R. Russell .....	74
H. S. Harris .....	71
N. F. Tufts .....	69
F. J. Rabbeth .....	65
C. E. Berry .....	62
The Arlington team scored .....	342
	326
M. R. A. ....	16 points, winners.

May 29, 1886, a team match was shot with the Minneapolis, Minn. Rifle Club. Conditions: 6 men. 10 rounds. 200 yards. S. A. target. Scores exchanged by mail.

### M. R. A. Team.

F. J. Rabbeth .....	87
Geo. R. Russell .....	85
O. M. Jewell .....	83
J. B. Fellows .....	77
E. F. Richardson .....	70
C. E. Berry .....	64
Minneapolis team scored .....	472
	379
M. R. A. team .....	93 points, winners.

June 5, 1886, a team from the Arlington Heights Rifle Club visited Walnut Hill, and shot against the Massachusetts Rifle Association team. Conditions: 6 men. 10 rounds. Standard American target. 200 yards off-hand.



## M.R.A. Team.

Geo. Russell.....	78
J. B. Fellows.....	76
F. J. Rabbeth (Mil.) .....	69 + 5 = 74
C. E. Berry .....	73
N. F. Tufts .....	68
J. N. Frye .....	66
Arlington team scored .....	435 408
M.R.A. team .....	27 points, winners.

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